

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Mark William Janoska, et al.

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR LINE CARD REDUNDANCY IN

A COMMUNICATION SWITCH

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RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office action of July 9, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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